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## Changes in weather may trigger child's asthma

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#### Abstract:

Changes in humidity and temperature result in an increase in Emergency Department (ED) visits for pediatric asthma exacerbations according to a report published this month inAnnals of Allergy, Asthma & Immunology, the scientific journal of the American College of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology (ACAAI).

Source: http://www.eurannallergyimm.com/cont/journals-articles/169/volume-news.asp

#### **Resource Description**

#### Exposure: M

weather or climate related pathway by which climate change affects health

Meteorological Factors, Temperature

**Temperature:** Fluctuations

Geographic Feature: M

resource focuses on specific type of geography

Urban

Geographic Location:

resource focuses on specific location

**United States** 

Health Impact: M

specification of health effect or disease related to climate change exposure

Respiratory Effect

Respiratory Effect: Asthma

Population of Concern: A focus of content

Population of Concern: M

populations at particular risk or vulnerability to climate change impacts

Children

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Resource Type: **☑** 

format or standard characteristic of resource

Policy/Opinion

Timescale: M

time period studied

Time Scale Unspecified